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Montana Republican State Convention Calls Down Four Senators

WHO VOTED FOR DEMOCRAT CLARK.

Boers Defy Roberts' Proclamation and Make Their Last Stand.

INDIFFERENT CHINESE NEWS.

Colorado Cowboys and Sheepmen at Outs—Big Coal Strike Threatened—More Boundary Trouble.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—The Republican state convention now in session here has asked for the resignation of four Republican state senators who voted for Clark for United States senator. The resolution calling for such resignations carried without debate. It is proposed to fill the positions with Republicans who would not vote for a Democrat.

Boers Making Last Stand.
London, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—The Boers are making their last stand in defiance of Lord Roberts' proclamation. Buller has been fighting continuously since August 21st and his progress is now blocked by Botha in the Lydenburg mountains, where the Boers' position is stronger than at Loing's Nek. The Boers' position was unavailingly attacked for three days and now a flank movement is being projected. This will surely be the last stand made by the Transvaal Boers as they can not possibly retreat to the northward owing to the hostile feelings of the natives towards them.

Indifferent Chinese News.
Washington, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—Ambassador Porter at Paris advises the home government that the

attitude of the French towards the Chinese is favorable to the position taken by the Russians.

Germany, while anxious to avoid friction with the other powers, contends that the continuous presence of the German forces are required in Pekin, and it is generally believed that Germany's views are concurred in by Italy and Austria. England is silent on the matter but it is believed she will follow the initiative taken by Germany that the troops remain in Pekin. The position of Japan is not definite, although it seems that France is really the only other power that fully concurs with Russia in her proposition to withdraw the troops; although America expressed an intention of following the same course of action unless the other powers can offset a modification of Russia's position.

So far as known Russia has not yet withdrawn her troops from Pekin, and the all important question is: What is the power and status of Li Hung Chang?

All direct communication with Pekin is cut off, but news comes by way of Shanghai that the Boxers have cut all the wires and are very active around Tientsin.

Colorado Troubles Continue.
Denver, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—Reports from Walensburg are that the whole country is involved and up in arms owing to the feud between the sheep and cattle men. The sheep were eating all the grass when a band of cattle herders drove 3000 sheep over a precipice, killing them. This act precipitated violent trouble and the whole country has taken sides. The state militia was ordered out by the governor and is on the way to the scene of trouble.

Coal Miners May Strike.
Columbus, O., Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—If the miners' convention now in session at Indianapolis, orders a general strike, as is threatened, 142,000 anthracite miners will walk out and fully one million people will be thrown out of employment in consequence. The sections of the country which will be most effected by the contemplated strike are western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio.

Boundary Trouble.
Skagway, Sept. 12.—The British Columbia boundary commission left here yesterday for the Porcupine mining country to adjudicate the mining claims owned by Americans but which the modus vivendi boundary line established puts in British territory. Hon. Justice Martin, of Atlin, heads the commission.

More Stock for Dawson.
Skagway, Sept. 12.—Miller Bros. have reached here with a large consignment of live stock for Dawson which they will rest a week before continuing on the trip.

Wants to Contest.
Some weeks since a man named Coburn who said he represented a man named Smith, made the statement that he was ready to post a sum of money, anywhere from \$2000 to \$2500 as a wager that Frank Smith could beat any heavy-weight in the country barring Slavin in a boxing contest.

Last evening Vincent White posted \$1000 with Tommy McDonald in the Aurora saloon, as a forfeit and guarantee that for the sum named he could put Smith out of business.

Street Work.
The final touches are being given to many of the streets for the present year. A large force of convicts is being worked and the streets are being cleaned of all trash and filth, the accumulation of many months. The streets of Dawson, or many of them, will be in fine shape for snow when it comes.

Bicycle hose, a large variety. Oak Hall, opp. S.-Y. T. dock.
Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a. m. tomorrow from Yukon dock.

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A new star has risen and taken a place in the political firmament of the Yukon territory. At present the new luminary is not fixed, but is willing to become so, if such is the will of the people.

Attorney Auguste Noel has declared himself in a way not to be misunderstood. He is a candidate for one of the two seats in the council, and proudly asserts that he is not the choice of any clique or party, and comes before the people without the endorsement of anyone—excepting his friends who are not organized, but who say they are ready to do some hard work to assist him to the coveted seat.

"I believe I could do much good in the council, if elected," said Mr. Noel yesterday, "and because of this belief I am going to do what I can to get the office."

"I know what I am doing in this matter, as I have had some little political experience before. In 1897 I was a candidate for a seat in the federal parliament, from Athabaskaville, when I was defeated by a small majority. Although I was not successful in my campaign then, the experience will be of value to me now, and I have very strong hopes of being elected."

Concerning his line of campaign Mr. Noel had nothing to say, but possibly an inkling may be gained when his attitude, at the time the citizens' committee was deciding the momentous question of memorializing the governor general is remembered. At the time he stoutly maintained that it was not within the scope of usefulness occupied by the citizens' committee to offer such an affront to the governor general as would be contained in such a memorial as was contemplated.

It was commonly thought at the time that the issues involved in the memorial and its preparation, would act only as they were at the time intended to; but it becomes clear now that the issues then, to a certain extent are to be also features of this campaign.

Councilman Girouard was asked yesterday where he stood in the present campaign and had no hesitancy in saying that he was going to support Mr. Noel, though beyond this statement and the one to the effect that Mr. Noel represented no clique, party or political ring, and stood for everything good and nothing bad, he had nothing to say.

Is It All Gone?
To the average citizen the question is one of but minor import, but to

others it is a most interesting one. The question to which reference is made is simply this: "Has the slumber brand of hootch become exhausted?"

Conditions warrant the answer: "It has."

Not since last Friday has the police court seen a victim of the brand. There have been drunks, to be sure, but no street sleepers, and not for many previous months have five days passed without from one to a score of slumber brand victims being up. Logical deduction, therefore, warrants the conclusion that the brand has all been served, its effects slept off and that from now on the stereotyped charge "drunk and asleep" will be heard no more.

This information will be hailed with delight and thanksgiving by many who, to use a homely phrase, have been there. They have reposed on the unswept sidewalk or in a damp, maddy alley, where dogs would creep by stealth at midnight. Next morning they would have an alley taste and a "\$5 and costs" feeling; therefore, the above information will be to them as balm to a bleeding heart—grease to a squeaking axle, so to speak.

A Cat With a Habit.

In an ill-advised moment of what was intended for a mark of friendship, someone recently gave Andy McKenzie a white cat. Now, cats are all right ordinarily, and especially white cats. Andy dotes on them. That is, when they have no abnormal propensities and are otherwise well behaved, and even as it is with the one in question, he is restless and ill at ease if it is out of his sight longer than five consecutive minutes. The reason of this is that Andy has learned by high priced cat-experience that when the white cat is gone longer than that it signifies that it has ran away, and then he thinks of the many times it has done so before, and that in turn reminds him that on each of these lamented occasions he has had to pay a reward of \$2.50 for its return. He has done this so often that he says when the cat purrs it sounds like the rustling of bank notes.

Another Inheritance.

They are arriving almost daily now—the notices to inheritors of large fortunes; in fact, the mails are too slow to bring them in. The last one came last evening by wire. This time the mantle of riches and surprise has fallen upon Mrs. James Flannery, who seems to be bearing up well, and this morning appeared not a whit flurried or cast down by the sudden burden of the responsibility of great and sudden wealth.

This time the wealth inherited is in the good old state of Missouri, where people who have to be shown come from, and Mrs. Flannery is making all possible effort to get ready to leave the Klondike vale before the river freezes, so as to look after the administration of the newly acquired estate.

T. Flemming, of Edina, Knox county, Missouri, who died recently, passed to the great beyond without other heirs than Mrs. Flannery, of this city.

The estate which is spoken of, as almost anything up to \$200,000, consists of money and tracts of land.

The lady is entitled to congratulations.

New Show at Standard.

The Standard Theater Company of all-star players will produce Dion Boucicault's famous Irish drama, "The Shaughran" next week. This is the play in which Boucicault made himself famous. It offers splendid opportunities for histrionic talent of an emotional nature, but withal there is a rich vein of comedy running through the play. The Standard artists will make special scenery which will give a very realistic effect to stage settings.

Wanted.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1900

DIRECT REPRESENTATION.

The election of two men to serve in conjunction with the present members of the Yukon council is only the first of a number of matters to which the electorate of the territory should give attention in the not distant future.

It will be necessary, before we can expect that degree of attention from the federal government to which the Yukon is justly entitled, to be represented directly in parliament by a man of our own choosing. As long as the Yukon pays its own way and no calls are made upon the down east provinces to contribute toward the expenses involved in opening up this country, our complaints are bound to a greater or less extent to fall upon deaf ears. There is no one in parliament authorized to speak for us, nor is there anyone sufficiently posted with reference to our requirements to represent us satisfactorily even were he authorized so to do.

The only means whereby we shall ever be properly represented before parliament is through the agency of a man of our own choosing, who can go down to Ottawa as an official representative on the floor of the house of commons, and present our grievances in such a manner as will guarantee their being given due and proper consideration.

Even though a portion of the immediate wants of the territory are now receiving some attention at the hands of the federal authorities, the necessity of direct representation in the house is only emphasized thereby.

A few fair promises are being held out to us, which may be considered in no other light than mere bids for support at the approaching elections. We will certainly be glad to accept any small favors which are vouchsafed us by Mr. Sifton, no matter what the underlying motive therefor may be. But it certainly is unpleasant to reflect that the influence of a general election is required before any material heed is paid to our wants. It is necessary that at the earliest possible moment the Yukon shall be represented in Ottawa by a man duly commissioned for that purpose and who shall have the interests of the territory to foster and no other.

When a member from the Yukon is seated in the house we shall not need to send petitions down to the minister of the interior, but our wants will be presented before parliament direct, and we may expect direct parliamentary action thereon. Until that is accomplished we shall continue to remain at the mercy of a departmental minister, who is friendly to this territory when he is forced to be and at no other time.

HIGHLY FAVORED.

Aside from the mineral resources of the Yukon, this territory is favored by nature in many respects for the maintenance of a large self-sustaining population. The timber resources of the country considering its extreme northern latitudes are simply remarkable. On all the tributary streams above Dawson there are abundant supplies of timber sufficient for all requirements both for mining and building purposes for years to come. Meanwhile coal of good quality and in large quantities has been uncovered, guaranteeing fuel for all

time, even though the forests should ultimately be exhausted. From the experiments already made the possibilities of the Yukon valley from an agricultural standpoint have been amply demonstrated. The application of brawn and muscle, intelligently directed, will cause the territory to blossom as the rose within a very few years. A splendid quality of grain can be grown, while the continuous sunlight of summer permits the raising of several crops of vegetables during the warm season although it is comparatively short. It may be too much to hope that the Yukon will ever figure prominently in the produce markets of the world, but there is no legitimate reason why we should not raise nearly everything that is required for our own consumption.

It looked for a while as though the nominees of Saturday's convention would go in without opposition, but the appearance of Mr. Noel in the field makes it necessary that the battle be fought out to a finish. It would really have been too bad had no opposition manifested itself, as a campaign with only one ticket in the field would be a rather lame affair. Get your war paint on, gentlemen, and prepare to enter the arena. The people are anticipating a first-class exhibition and we trust that you will not disappoint them.

There may be but few things as rare as a day in June, but one of those is a day in Dawson in September. Such weather as we have been having during the past two days ought to be sufficient to remove the blues from the most homesick man in town.

Boutelle and Blaine.

They used to tell a good story about Boutelle in connection with the campaign of 1884. He idolized Blaine, and for years there was bad blood between him and Reed, because Reed acted as though he thought himself as great as, or greater than, the plumed knight.

The story is that Boutelle accompanied Blaine on his western tour in 1884. When the special pulled out of New York, Boutelle rushed over to Blaine's seat, his face white with anger and his voice vibrant with passion. Holding in his trembling hands a copy of the New York Tribune, he pointed to an article and exclaimed, "Was there ever such fatuous blundering as that?"

For half an hour he commented on the article to the half score persons who had gathered round. The Tribune was Blaine's chief organ, as everyone knew, but the fiery Yankee of French extraction, continued to pour hot shot into it. Finally Blaine said, "Charley, do you know who wrote that and procured its insertion in the Tribune?"

"No," was the answer, "but I take it that it was Whitelaw Reid or some other infernal fool."

"You are wrong," Charley replied Blaine. "I wrote it and had the Tribune print it." - Washington Cor. Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Patriotic Baby.

Near the quiet little town of Coamo, in the province of Ponce, Porto Rico, was born on Thanksgiving day a remarkable boy baby. His mother, says the New York Sun, was a half breed West Indian negress and his father a full-blooded negro. The baby is almost white. More remarkable still are the markings on the child's breast. On the right side there is a blood red letter "U," while on the other side appears the letter "S" in blueish-purple tint. About these letters are many white spots like stars, two on either side of the neck being five pointed.

A visitor who saw the baby learned that during the fight of Coamo last July, when the Pennsylvania troops were sent to the rear of the Spanish position, the mother was alarmed while at work in the field near the road by the approach of the American troops. She was frightened at their sudden appearance, and, crouching behind a hedge, watched them pass.

The regimental colors were suddenly planted against the hedge near her as the color bearer rested for a few minutes. She had never seen a full-blooded white man before except the unbrowned and dark-hued Spacjards, and the Pennsylvania men appeared as a different race to her. The excitement of the battle that followed added to her first surprise, prostrating her for several days. Nothing was thought of the experience after she had fully recovered until the birth of her baby.

Whiskies at wholesale at the Northern Annex. Rosenthal & Field, props Best Canadian rye at the Regina.

STROLLER'S COLUMN.

When a man stated at the convention Saturday night that he was 46 years old and had never voted, while there was nothing whatever in the remark to suggest the channel of thought, the Stroller's mind reverted to stories he had heard in the far away, dim and distant past of people whose experience in the busy marts of the world was very limited.

It is said of Thomas Jefferson that the day on which he took the oath of office as president of the United States, having arrived in the vicinity of the capital the previous day and spending the night some miles out with a friend, he rode to the city on horseback, hitched his horse in front of a grocery and proceeded on foot to the scene of his inauguration, having in his coat pockets at the time a lunch which his friend's wife had insisted on his taking along with him.

It is a portion of the sacred history of the state of Georgia (and Georgia is rather short on sacred history) that when Col. Joe Brown was elected governor of that state and when all arrangements had been completed to move his family from the old home in Milledgeville to Atlanta, the capital, it was necessary to blindfold Mrs. Brown and back her onto the train, that lady never having previously ridden in a railroad coach. Her husband made a good governor and afterwards built and owned the Western Atlantic railroad, extending from Atlanta to Chattanooga.

When Mrs. Andrew Jackson was lady of the Whitehouse she was entertaining some callers one afternoon when one of them said:

"Mrs. Jackson, you appear to have a bad cold; in fact you are quite hoarse."
"Yes, ma'am," replied the first lady of the land, "I ketched quite a severe cold last night. You see Andrew was sort o' restless and kept a kickin' the kivers off."

But the mind of the Stroller was brought back to the present period when, on leaving the convention hall, he chanced to walk down stairs immediately behind Rev. Dr. Grant of the First Presbyterian church of Dawson, and Pugnillist Frank P. Slavin. The latter was in a very talkative mood and among other amusing things said:

"Doctor, you and me are in the same boat."

"Why so?" asked the exponent of the divine law.
"For the reason," said the man who once aspired to the heavyweight championship of the world, "that we were both barred from nomination tonight by our professions."

"I see!" said the revered gentleman.
A rather unusual sight was witnessed on one of the wharves early this morning, which, by the way, was the coolest of the season, when two well known tin-horn gamblers were acting as though engaged in mortal combat.

"Don't arrest us," they said as a policeman approached, "we are the best of friends and we are doing this for mutual accommodation."

"Stop and tell me what you mean, and let up on pummeling each other; you are both bleeding like stuck pigs," said the "cop."

"My case is like this," said one of the belligerents, "and his'n is just the same as mine. Last winter we each owned a good fur coat and fur cap. When spring came we each pawned our fur apparel expecting, of course, to redeem it; but the time for redemption came in July and we allowed things to go by default. Now winter is almost here; both of us are dead broke and without enough clothes to wear even in Central America, and we are just down here punishing each other for being a pair of consummate fools."

"Well, if I see any more such actions, you fellows will have a chance to put your blood in circulation on the crown woodpile," remarked the man of yellow stripes, at which remark one of the thinly clad men jumped into the river and swam under the dock and the other fainted where he stood.

When the steamer Seattle No. 3 reached Dawson on her last trip from St. Michael she brought one passenger who was not on the ship's manifest when she left St. Michael and who came aboard without requiring a landing of the steamer. The passenger referred to is the bouncing son of Ed Bartlett who was born to him on the voyage up the river and at a time when the steamer was in the act of landing at a woodpile. Before the boy was 15 minutes old he had received the name of William Yukon Steamboat Woodpile Bartlett. The child survived the name and is doing well.

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He Makes a Very Pretty Speech About Canada

Which Does Not in Any Way Savor of Politics—Wants Dominion to Remain Unchanged.

There are said to be many men in the English speaking world today who can say clever and amusing things, but since the departure of Bright and Gladstone orators in the prose sense of the word are seldom heard. Canadians have had few opportunities of hearing William Jennings Bryan and therefore we know little of his style, but from the published reports of his speeches, which show that he has the faculty of compressing great truths into sentences, he may surely be set down as one of the greatest speakers of his day. Lord Dufferin was a highly gifted man in many ways, and some of his finest speeches were delivered in Canada. He spoke under difficulties, too, for it is not permitted to a governor general at all times to cut loose and give utterance to all the thoughts of his heart. In spite of the circumscribed area to which he was confined, however, this great Irishman fascinated the people of this country by the charm of his poetic utterances as few men are ever likely to do again, even the little country weekly papers of his day finding it necessary to print reports of his speeches on account of the eagerness of the farmers to read what he had to say. At the time of the queen's jubilee the British press reporting the speeches of the premier of Canada seemed to be unanimously of the opinion that the most gifted son of the empire was a colonial. More recent and more stirring events have not weakened that opinion, as we find in the London Times of March 15th of the present year the following: "The results of the British system of imperialism, as applied to territory inhabited by white races of different origin, was never more strikingly illustrated than by the speech made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier on Tuesday in the Dominion house of commons. The speech would rank high in any assembly in the world as a model of noble eloquence, but it is not the language or act of the Canadian premier's address which will make it live in the annals of the empire. The spirit which glows through it and the thoughts which underlie it are pregnant with great issues for England and mankind. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the French Roman Catholic premier of a self-governing federation, in which British Protestants are in the majority, has expressed more faithfully and more truly than any statesman who has spoken yet the temper of the new imperial patriotism fostered into self-consciousness by the war." The premier has been making a tour of the maritime provinces with Lady Laurier, and everywhere they have been received with the greatest enthusiasm. Sir Wilfrid's addresses to the people have been of the most unbiased and non-controversial character, notwithstanding that we are said to be on the eve of a general election, yet some of the Conservative papers are not satisfied, as they profess to see in utterances like the appended evidence of some deep, dangerous game: "Thank Providence that we live in a country of absolute freedom and liberty. Let us always bear in mind our duties, for duty is always inherent in right. Our fathers had to labor to secure these rights. Now let us fulfill our part. Three years ago, when visiting England at the queen's jubilee, I had the privilege of visiting one of those marvels of Gothic architecture which the hands of genius, guided by an unerring hand, had made a harmonious whole, in which granite, marble, oak and other materials were blended. This cathedral is the image of the nation that I hope to see Canada become. As long as I live, as long as I have the power to labor in the service of my country, I shall repel the idea of changing the nature of its different elements. I want the marble to remain the marble; I want the granite to remain the granite; I want the oak to remain the oak; I want the sturdy Scotchman to remain the Scotchman; I want the brawny Englishman to remain the Englishman; I want the warm-hearted Irishman to remain the Irishman; I want to take all these elements and build a nation that will be foremost amongst the great powers of the world; and you Acadians, I want you to be represented in that nation. Your ancestors were said to reflect the image of heaven, so your lives should reflect in that united nation the

purity and the joy of heaven."—Victoria Times.

Value of Consulships.

"Young man," said a noted Illinois congressman in the house restaurant at the capital, "when you get a chance to be a consul for the United States select a smoky city, one where there are many factory chimneys. Do not try for the fashionable capitols. Leave them for the ambassadors. Go where the air is murky, for there business is lively, and many a consignment is sent to the United States. This means fees, and fees mean a good income for the consul."

In the course of his chat the congressman made the general statement that consuls who are making the most money from fees are the quietest, most unassuming, uncomplaining employees of the government. "They do not set up claims for a salary instead of fees," he said. "Oh, no; but like the wise boy where the raspberries are thick they let the world forget, so far as possible, that they are on earth. Let a consular office be changed from the fees to the salary system, and it at once becomes alluring to a voracious lot of aspirants. Some one finds out perhaps that the political support of this particular consul is weak, and then influence is used, and soon there is a change."

"One of the most profitable consulships is that of Liverpool. The salary is \$6000, but the fees bring the emoluments up to several times that amount, and a generation ago the income of the consul at Liverpool was \$50,000 a year. This has been reduced by abolishing fees."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Won't Trust the Banks.

The stocking bank, the favorite hiding place of a past generation, has now become almost obsolete, except with a very few old-fashioned people in quiet, out-of-the-way villages.

Perhaps the most popular hiding place, especially for paper money, is the big family Bible. It is quite a customary thing in out-of-the-way country houses to thus secure any valuable papers in the possession of the family.

Tea caddies and sugar bowls make excellent temporary safes, and the pocket of an old dress hanging in an unopened way in a wardrobe is regarded by many women as one of the safest places imaginable for spare rings, brooches and bracelets.

A lady once confided to the writer that if she had occasion to leave her house she invariably placed her jewelry in her old shoes, which were placed alongside the new ones. Quite a lot of valuables can be forced down into the toes without giving the slightest evidence of the value therein.

A woman in Cleveland, whenever she had occasion to leave her home at all would put her money and jewelry in the coal scuttle, covering them up carefully with several layers of coal. This might have proved a somewhat risky experiment in the winter months when the fire had to be fed, but their owner felt that no burglar would ever dream of looking in a coal scuttle for valuables.

One old lady recently took her first railroad ride from a central New York town to New York city, so that she might draw her savings from the bank there and place them in the country institution at home. Her money had been there through the panic of '73 and '93, but she thought it safer, while the war with Spain was on, to take it out and place it nearer her. She would not trust any one but herself to come on and draw the few hundreds.

An elderly spinster who resides in one of the many ancient houses to be found in Boston had a set of stationary drawers topped by cupboard, specially built into a huge closet in one of the rooms. The lower drawer, instead of resting directly on the floor, ran on grooves about two inches above it. This lower drawer she would pull out and place large sums of money and all her jewel cases in the space left below, and then replace the drawer which she kept filled with linen.

Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a. m. tomorrow from the Yukon dock.

The Clifford Sifton will sail for Whitehorse tomorrow noon. She is a finely appointed boat and her service is excellent. Parties intending making the trip out can be assured of a successful and comfortable voyage.

Stetson hats, latest styles. Oak Hall.

Gins and brandies by the bottle or case at Northern Annex.

The warmest and most comfortable hotel in Dawson is at the Regina.

Short orders served right. The Holborn.

Fine tweed tailor-made suits. McCandless Bros., opp. S.-Y. T. dock.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor, Pioneer Drug Store.

Ladies, see the brussels squares that have arrived for Brimstone & Stewart.

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IN OTHER LANDS.

Wine form 48 per cent of Spain's general exports.

Spain is smaller than Texas by about 75,000 square miles.

Nearly all the streets of Berlin are paved with asphalt of the best quality.

Switzerland took in last year 888,842 francs in fares on its Alpine stage lines.

Of all English cities Liverpool had the highest death rate last year (26.8) and Croydon the lowest (13.6).

Paper made from seaweed is a growing industry in France. It is so transparent that it has been used in place of glass.

There are said to be in London alone 8000 children who are feeble-minded, as distinguished from idiots and imbeciles.

The Austrian government serum factory in Vienna for the treatment of diphtheria disposed of 30,434 bottles of the remedy last year.

It is reported in Berlin that Emperor William has contributed the sum of 20,000 marks as prizes for English and German sailing yachts at next year's Kiel week.

The greatest pilgrimages to the Holy Land are undertaken by the Russians. It has been calculated that between 30,000 and 40,000 Russians visit Palestine every year.

The Hebrews are now in possession of about 60 square miles of Palestine, or one per cent of the country, and have agricultural establishments at Ekson, Jaffa and Galilee.

Origin of Titles.

Lieutenant is French for place-holder. He serves in place of another, taking the place of his superior when occasion demands.

Colonel is from the medieval Latin coronella, a diminutive of corona, a crown. A colonel was an officer who marched at the head of the column.

Until recently sergeant was held to be from the Persian sarjank, a subordinate officer, thus being the only one of our military titles not traceable to a Latin source.

The lowest and the highest of the officers of a company bear titles derived from the same word. Captains and corporals are, therefore, head men. The word from which captain is immediately derived is the medieval Latin capitaneus, a head man. German hauptman and Polish hetman carry the same idea.

A major was once a captain major, or superior captain, just as now the highest noncommissioned officer is a sergeant major. The captain was long ago dropped from the compound title and the major alone retained. A general was one whose command was over the army in general. From general officer the title came to be simply general.

Most of the navy titles that differ from army titles explain themselves. Ensign is an old title obsolete in the land forces, but still preserved in the navy. Admiral comes to us from the Spanish, who borrowed it from the Arabic amiralbarh, commander at sea. Commodore is a corruption of the Spanish and Portuguese commendador, a knight, a commander, so our two highest naval titles come from the despised Iberian peninsula.

Same old price, 25 cents, for drink, at the Regina.

Rosenthal & Field are selling case whiskies at wholesale. The Annex.

Brussels squares at Oak Hall, opp. S.-Y. T. Co. dock. McCandless Bros.

Pabst beer and imported cigars at wholesale. Rosenthal & Field, the Annex.

Try Cascade Laundry for high-class work at reduced prices.

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He'll get through all right.

He bought his outfit at

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Front Street, Opp. S.-Y. T. Co. Dock

GOOD TIMES THIS WINTER.

A. S. Levine Believes Prosperity Follows Introduction of Machinery.

"We are going to see prosperous times this winter," said A. S. Levine yesterday to a Nugget man. "I realized that in the early part of the year and my deductions were based upon the result of close observation."

"You may have noted the immense shipment into this country of machinery this fall. That means the constant employment of more men this winter than have ever been at work at any season. Each one of those mammoth boilers will have to be fed by human hands, and the quantity of labor necessary to keep them running will aggregate an immense number. That is my belief, and in the purchase of goods for the Star Clothing House I have acted on that presumption."

"I have now an immense stock of goods of all descriptions stored at my warehouse, and I will do a thriving business this fall and winter. Of course, times are different than in the old days; prices count now."

"The Star Clothing House will sell goods, and are now in fact selling staple articles at prices astonishingly low. Our policy is to do a big business at a close margin of profits. We will probably do more business in such articles as moccasins, fur caps, gloves and felt shoes, than any other concern in Dawson."

"We are selling hand sewed wax thread moccasins, the finest article to be had for money, for \$2.50 a pair. We have the largest stock of these goods in town. In fur caps we are selling a good serviceable warm cap for \$3.50, nearly one-third the price formerly obtained for the same article; and so on down the line with all our goods."

"We are carrying everything in the clothing line and can supply the miner with strong and warm clothing or the man around town with the swell apparel now in vogue in the large centers of the East. For underwear we have an assortment second to none in the city, heavy woolsens, merinos, balbriggan, etc., all sizes and weights."

"As I said before," continued Mr. Levine, "we are going to see prosperous times this winter, and the Star Clothing House will do an immense business, as we have the goods and our prices are below competition."

The Holborn Cafe for delicacies. A new department at the Northern Annex. Liquors at wholesale.

FULL LINE CHOICE BRANDS Wines, Liquors & Cigars

CHISHOLM'S SALOON. Tom Chisholm, Prop.

Hay and Feed

500 TONS.

We will receive about September 1st 500 tons of Hay and Feed. Contracts taken for future delivery. The same stored and insured free of charge.

LANCASTER & CALDERHEAD,

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We Are Prepared to Make Winter Contracts for

COAL

And to insure your supply would advise that contracts be made early. Our COAL is giving the best of satisfaction, and will not cost as much as wood, having the advantage of being less bulky than wood—no sparks—reducing fire risks; no creosote to destroy stovepipe, and the fire risk you take in having defective flues caused by the creosote is great. Call and see us.

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Daily Each Way

To Grand Forks

On and after MONDAY, September 10th, will leave at 2 p. m. instead of 3 p. m. On completion of Bonanza Road a double line of stages will be run, making two round trips daily.

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A FIRST-CLASS HOUSE AT MODERATE PRICES American and European Plans THIRD AVENUE AND SECOND STREET GIBSON & JEWEL, Props.

WE ARE IN FROM ST. MICHAEL.

Will Endeavor to Make Another Trip This Year.

Great Activity on the Upper River—Barge Monarch to Become a Steamer.

The steamer P. B. Weare, D. C. Stacey, master, F. Grace, purser, 18 days from St. Michael, arrived in port yesterday. She brought 200 tons of freight, but no passengers. Capt. Boney reports the steamer Robert Kerr with 300 tons of refrigerated meats on the way up the river. She was to sail from St. Michael soon after the departure of the Weare. The steamers Monarch and Iavelle Young are on the way up and are reported to have fully 100 passengers each, returning from Nome. The Weare passed the Bella above Circle City and the Robert Campbell near Charley creek. Capt. Boney will return to St. Michael with his boat as quickly as possible and bring her back with another load if the river does not freeze up before he can land again in Dawson.

Steamer Leon, 35 days from St. Michael, with no passengers reported, arrived this morning. She brought two barges up river, one of which was left barge with U. S. stores. Her freight, with barge, is estimated at over 1700 tons.

The Zealandian arrived this morning with 18 sacks of mail, 60 tons of freight and the following passengers: Chas. R. Long, W. L. Harris, T. C. Bell, Miss Doara Dean, Capt. Ritchie, Louis Merritt, Thos. Graham, Wm. Simmer-ville, Thos. Keenan, Francis Duffy, Jos. McNamee, Chas. Houk, Peter Farrell, Edwin Wilkinson.

The steamer Lightning is again in port. She brought down river 83 head of cattle, several tons of assorted freight and seven passengers. She sails tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The Lightning is a spacious, swift and safe boat and is officered by competent navigators. Following is the passenger list coming down: Miss M. Thebo, C. W. Thebo, J. L. West, R. S. West, P. McQuillan, A. R. Thomas and J. Wallace.

It is reported that the steamer Clara was sold yesterday to Capt. Miller, also the barge Monarch. The machinery will be transferred from the Clara to the barge immediately and the latter will be put on the up-river run as a freighter. It is hoped that one trip can be made on the boat this season before the close of navigation.

The following boats are expected from down river this season by the different big companies: S-Y. T. Co., Rock island; N. A. T. & T. Co., Barr, Hamilton and Power; A. E. Co., Campbell with barge of the S-Y. T. Co.; A. C. Co., the Bella, Louise and Susie.

The following was received by wire: The steamer Nora passed Big Salmon coming down at 5 this morning. She was followed by the Bonanza King at 7:30 this morning.

The steamer Bailey passed Hootatiqua going up this morning at 6 o'clock.

The Canadian left Whitehorse at 11 o'clock last night. She has a powerful search light and runs all night.

Steamers Sybil, Light and Victorian passed Selkirk this morning going up, the former at 4 o'clock and the others at 9.

The Clifford Sifton got in at 2 p. m. today with a very heavy cargo of freight and a large passenger list. She sails tomorrow at noon.

Judge Craig Crowded.

For some time the friends of Judge Craig have noticed that he was not looking well, and those who have been brought into daily contact with the court have known that he was over-worked and nearly ill in consequence. The uninitiated might think that when court is adjourned for the day the duties of the judge were at an end. On the contrary, the least portion of his work only has been done, and in this case the midnight oil has been burned to such an extent that he is worn out, and this morning it was decided to postpone the hearing of all criminal cases on the docket till the arrival of Judge Dugas.

What Transportation Men Say.

Capt. Ritchie and Mr. Rosenheim, of the Canadian Development Co., were seated close to the stove when a Nugget man dropped into their snug little office this morning where they appeared to be felicitating each other on the fact that to them and their company the world looks good.

In answer to the usual repertorial question: "How is business and what is the news?" Capt. Ritchie answered:

"Business is good and the outlook for its continuing good is very flattering. The stage of the water is most satisfactory and bears out the assertion made by me after the opening of navigation and when the river continued low long after the usual time of rising, that we would have a good river this fall. The river now is in much better condition than at this time last year and we are taking every advantage of it.

"We are rushing out ten steamers to their full capacity, and if navigation would remain open until Christmas there would still be sufficient business for our fleet. Then if the closed season was only of ten days duration we would have all the business we could handle from its very start.

"Freight is being rushed through from Skagway to Whitehorse by train loads every day and yet the Skagway wharves are never cleared, every incoming steamer from all lower ports being fully laden. In fact, notwithstanding the big fleet of steamers plying between Skagway and the lower country, nearly every one of them are compelled to leave freight behind when they sail for the north. There has been no cessation in our volume of business this season and I see now that there will be none. The only thing that will cut us off will be the closing of navigation which is bound to come."

They're all Athletic.

Jack Campbell, Tom Chisholm, Trainer Sweeney and others less known in the athletic world, are all hard at work training for a Sandow exhibition to be given sometime during the winter or early in the spring, the date not having been definitely settled yet. The principal part of the training consists in looking at a large stone with an iron ring fixed in it for a handle, and in eating beefsteak. They also relate their athletic experiences to each other, and hope by the time the day of the exhibition arrives to be able to lift it. The stone weighs 112 pounds.

Over 100 Nomads Arrive.

The tramp steamer Monarch, Capt. Green, arrived at 2:30 this afternoon 18 days from St. Michael. She brought 125 passengers, over 100 of whom are direct from Nome, the others having been picked up along the river, being returning prospectors from the Tanana and Koyukuk.

Although the Monarch's passengers had not come ashore at the time the Nugget went to press, having to undergo examination at the hands of the health officer, it was learned by long distance conversation and from the many familiar faces on the upper deck of the steamer nearly all the passengers from Nome were former residents of Dawson. Among many others noticed were Frank J. Golden, Actor Eddie Dolan and Mrs. Walter McNabb.

Golden is authority for the statement that people are leaving Nome as fast as possible; that the town from a business standpoint is very dull, and that 90 per cent of all who invested money in business ventures are losing heavily. When he left Nome on the 23d of August there was considerable general sickness, but no epidemics or contagions.

Although much crowded, the Monarch had a pleasant trip up the river. She brought no freight. This is her first trip to Dawson since the summer of '98.

A Scheme That Failed.

With a market basket filled with pieces of bank and treasury notes an old woman, who said she lived in Camden, appeared at the sub-treasury and stated that she wanted the bits of money redeemed, says the Philadelphia Record. It required only a hasty examination for the officials to determine that the pieces of notes were all from the edges and corners of bills of various denominations.

The woman was asked how she became possessed of the pieces, which information she failed to give. Then she was bluntly told that the government would allow her nothing for the remnants of money, because it was plainly evident that the pieces were all clipped from whole notes. This the woman denied, yet she was obliged to go away without receiving passable cash for her offering.

The officials found that, though there were corners and edges from \$20, \$10, \$5, \$2 and \$1 notes, there was not a piece of a center in the entire collection, so that it would be impossible to make even one bill by pasting pieces together. There were enough bits, however, to equal a hundred notes in size. Judging from the paper and style of notes, it had required about 20 years to collect the pieces.

Special Power of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a. m. tomorrow from Yukon dock.

The liquors are the best to be had, at the Regina.

Heavy underwear at Oak Hall.

Private dining rooms at The Holborn.

Special Power-of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

BRIEF MENTION.

L. Pond and wife, of Dominion, are in from Gold Bottom.

The Dawson Athletic Association promises to be short lived.

Wm. Dougherty, of 34 above, Bonanza, is registered at the Regina.

Joe Drew is down from Bonanza and was busy last night and this morning shaking hands with his numerous friends.

J. F. Hopkins and wife, of Gold Bottom are in town for a day or two and are among the guests registered at the Fairview.

The dust reported as commercial dust, assayed and run into bars by the A. E. Co.'s assayer yesterday was picked dust, not commercial.

James F. McDonald, of the McDonald hotel has received a letter from Bell & Son, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, inquiring for an information that will lead to the present whereabouts of Alexander Campbell last heard of in this country in March last.

Mrs. Calderhead, the wife of R. W. Calderhead, and Miss Comer are to leave Dawson today for a winter's vacation on the outside. Mr. Calderhead will go outside as soon as his business will allow his departure.

Mrs. Calderhead will spend the winter in Victoria. Miss Comer will return to her home in the northern part of British Columbia. Both ladies are well known in Dawson social circles and will be greatly missed by their many friends in the social events of the coming winter.

Of a General Character.

The strength of two horses equals that of 15 men.

It is estimated that all the gold mined in California since 1848 could be put into a room twelve yards long, six wide and five and two-thirds high.

It is said that a striking outline of the features of George Washington has appeared in a knotty protuberance of a tree in Portland, Me. It is not a cherry tree.

Joseph H. Durkee, who was lost on the La Bourgogne, left a will by which the New York Metropolitan museum of art comes into possession of a collection of coins valued at \$25,000.

A widow who remarries does not wear a white wedding gown, and never a veil, while bridesmaids are, of course, denied. Otherwise your second marriage may be as ceremonious as you desire.

The greatest fruit growing state is Missouri. The value of its fruit crop exceeds that of California by \$2,500,000. The apple crop alone is valued at \$12,000,000, while the entire fruit crop is worth about \$19,500,000.

A strange grave contains the body of Charles Carter, of Russell, Kan. He was cleaning out an old well when the quicksand caved in on him covering him up to his neck. He lived 58 hours. As it was found impossible to remove his body, the well was filled in, and thus became his grave.

In 1897, white America's gold production exceeded \$40,000,000, the output of precious stones reached only the modest figure of \$130,675. The principal items of this total were: Turquoise, \$55,000; sapphire, \$25,000; quartz crystal, \$12,000; tourmaline, \$9025; gold quartz, \$5000.

A quick trip, a safe trip, a pleasant trip. The Clifford Sifton sails for Whitehorse Thursday noon.

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A Flourishing Enterprise.

McLennan, McFeely & Co. have completed their two-story store building on First Avenue and it is a credit not only to the enterprising firm which erected it but to the city of Dawson as well. The cost of the building was \$10,000. All of the lower floor is occupied by the firm with an immense stock of crockery, hardware, stoves, pipe fittings, tin-ware, etc. On the mezzanine floor in the rear the finest assortment of saddlers' goods in the city is obtainable.

At the rear of the building a tinshop is located which employs ten men. The full force is now at work manufacturing the heating appliances for the new postoffice. The upper floor of the main building is used for office purposes, all the rooms being occupied by tenants at present. The building is heated by a furnace on the lower floor, from which is piped to heat the rooms above. A huge plate glass window in one piece is now being placed at the front of the store. The building is made fire proof on the outside by asbestos lining and corrugated iron. The size of the store is 25x75 feet.

The firm began operations in Dawson in '98, Mr. McLennan coming up river on the Rock Island with a stock of goods valued at \$12,000. Today the stock is valued at \$180,000, and there has been paid so far this season for freight charges \$80,000. It is expected by Mr. McLennan that \$20,000 more will be paid for freight before the season closes. At the firm's warehouse on Third street, there are now stored 600 tons of merchandise. Another asset, and one which has proved a remunerative investment, is the Dawson City Water works. Mr. McLennan is a large stockholder in that corporation and was one of the founders of the enterprise.

It is doubtful if in any other city the development of a commercial business, run on legitimate lines, has assumed the proportions outlined by the above in such a short period of time.

Ice is forming on the river. Cold, raw winds prevail. Take a warm, com-

"HIGH - GRADE GOODS."

S-Y.T. Co. We are now prepared to fill orders in any quantity for merchandise of this year's shipment, our boats having arrived with immense consignments of S-Y. T. Co.'s goods.
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NEW SUIT DEPARTMENT, SECOND FLOOR
Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits and Separate Skirts, Underskirts in Silk Moreen or Satin, Muslin Underwear and Wrappers.
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TIN SHOP. NEW STOCK. FIRST AVENUE

Comfortable boat for Whitehorse. The Clifford Sifton sails at noon tomorrow.

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We fit glasses. Pioneer drug store.

Make your journey out one of pleasure. Excellent accommodation for passengers on the Clifford Sifton. She sails at noon tomorrow.

Fine old Scotch at wholesale. The best quality. Northern Annex.

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Table de hote dinners. The Holborn.

FOR RENT
FOR SALE—Fractional hillside adjoining No. 13 1/2 below lower discovery Dominion; good pay on adjoining claims; price \$1000. Address H., Nugget office. p12 15

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—A red bird dog, named Sport. Suitable reward for return of same to Tom Chisholm.

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POLITICS AND TRADE.

The Relations of the Two Outlined by A. S. Levine.

"I am surprised," said A. S. Levine to a Nugget man, "at the deep interest taken by the working men in the coming election. I, myself, being an American, a not, of course, take an active interest in the campaign, but I realize the great good that can come to this district if the proper men are elected to office.

"I think," added Mr. Levine, "that the citizens' committee has taken a step in the right direction when they nominated a man from the creeks and another from the town. I notice that the Nugget advocated that action in its editorial columns. "These men, I understand, are pledged, if elected, to adhere to the principles laid down in the citizens' committee platform. That means, among other things, that they will advocate the opening of crown claims for relocation. Should the Yukon Council make that suggestion officially to the Dominion government there can be no doubt but that it will have great weight with the administration.

"My reason for taking the interest I do in the coming election is, I must admit, a selfish one. For I know my trade would be largely increased should the reforms outlined by the citizens' committee ensue. My business is largely with the miner, and all reforms which will better his condition and make mining more profitable is of the greatest interest to me.

"I notice an increased demand for goods at the Star Clothing House, the character of which suggests the possibility that the purchaser is going on a prospecting tour. That is what the country needs—prospectors; they are the backbone of all mining communities.

"In the past 20 years I have lived among the miners of the west, and I have noticed that where mining laws were just and equitable the prosperity of the country was in the same proportion."

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